

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Customer Service Window Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendment 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action dated October 13, 2004, kindly amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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